

Abstract

A method for transmitting web page source data over a computer network.

The method typically includes receiving a request for the web page source data from a remote client. The web page source data contains renderable and non-renderable data.

- 5 The request is received at an acceleration device positioned on the computer network intermediate the web page source data and an associated web server. The method further includes filtering at least a portion of the non-renderable data from the requested web page source data, thereby creating modified web page source data, and sending the modified web page source data to the remote client. The non-renderable data is selected from the group consisting of whitespace, comments, hard returns, meta tags, keywords configured to be interpreted by a search engine, and commands not interpretable by the remote client.

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